

10/528827

JC06 Rec'd PCT/PTO 23 MAR 2005

1

Docket No. 39884/GM/lp

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Alberto NOBILI
Ser. No. : still unknown
Filed : still unknown
For : "MIXING CARTRIDGE FOR SINGLE-LEVER MIXING
FAUCETS"
A.U. : still unknown
Examiner : still unknown

Hon.

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

MAIL STOP: P.C.T.

Washington D.C. 20231 - U.S.A.

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir,

please enter the following preliminary amendment in the above-identified Application:

substitute the original claims 1 to 11 with the enclosed redrafted claims 12 to 23;

substitute the original abstract with the enclosed redrafted abstract of the disclosure.

It is to be noted that the newly submitted claims 12 to 23 and the new abstract of the disclosure do not comprise any new matter but merely more clearly define Applicant's originally disclosed invention.

Respectfully submitted



Guido MODIANO (Reg. No. 19,928)

Agent for the Applicant

Via Meravigli, 16

20123 MILANO - ITALY

Tel.: +39-02-85907777

Milan, Italy - January 24, 2005

Encls.: a.a.